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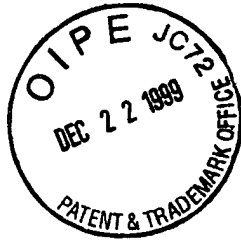
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For: "A METHOD FOR PRODUCING MILK
PRODUCTS HAVING HIGH
CONCENTRATIONS OF OMEGA-3
HIGHLY UNSATURATED FATTY
ACIDS"(As Amended)"



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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to Applicant's duty of disclosure under 37 CFR § 1.56 and 37 CFR §§ 1.97-1.98, Applicant hereby submits the enclosed form PTO-1449. The documents identified herein were of record in U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 08/918,325, filed August 26, 1997, and since the above-identified patent application is a continuation thereof, copies of the identified documents are not being submitted under 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(d). Although Applicant does not admit that any of such documents, alone or in any combination, is considered to be material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR § 1.56(b). Moreover, the inclusion of these documents is not to be construed as an admission by Applicant that each such document is prior art as to the above-identified patent application.

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